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JULY 8

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE DATED JULY 13 TO
KAZAKOV OF HYDROMET WITH COPY TO DR. V. R. LOZANSKIY,
DIRECTOR, ALL-UNION SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF WATER
PROTECTION (VNIIVO), ULITSA BAKULINA, 6, KHAR'KOV, 59.

2. "DEAR YURIY: THIS IS TO CLARIFY THE SITUATION REGARD-
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ING THE PROPOSED EXCHANGE OF SPECIALISTS UNDER THE RIVER

BASIN WATER QUALITY PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT PROJECT, 02.02-

11. THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN SUPERCEDES THAT CONTAINED IN MARK PISANO'S LETTER OF JUNE 29 TO DR. V. R. LOZANSKIY.

3. I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SOVIET SIDE PROPOSES TO HAVE TWO EXPERTS, YEREMENKO AND STANISHEVSKIY, ARRIVE IN THE USA ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 17. WE ARE WILLING TO RECEIVE THEM ON THAT DATE FOR TWO WEEKS. PLEASE CONFIRM SO THAT WE CAN FINALIZE ARRANGEMENTS.

4. WE HAVE TENTATIVELY ARRANGED THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM FOR THESE TWO EXPERTS: REVIEW OF RECENT EPA ACTIVITIES AND DISCUSSIONS WITH DR. W. P. SOMERS AND OTHER EPA OFFICIALS OF WATER QUALITY STANDARDS, MODELING, AND WASTE LOAD ALLOCATIONS (WASHINGTON, D.C.); DISCUSSIONS WITH DR. R. DELUCIA AND HIS ASSOCIATES AT META SYSTEMS, INC. IN BOSTON WHO WILL ADDRESS THE QUESTIONS RAISED BY A. V. MAKAROV IN HIS LETTER OF APRIL 19; MEETINGS WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF A SECTION 208 STATE AND AREA-WIDE WASTE TREATMENT MANAGEMENT AGENCY; CONCLUDING TALKS WITH M. A. PISANO, W. P. SOMERS, AND OTHERS IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

5. UNFORTUNATELY, WE HAVE ENCOUNTERED SOME PROBLEMS WHICH MAY NECESSITATE RESCHEDULING OF THE VISIT TO THE USSR OF DRS. LOUCKS AND GUSTAFSON WHICH WE HAD PROPOSED FOR SEPTEMBER 19-OCTOBER 2. I WILL SEND YOU ANOTHER MESSAGE ON THIS SUBJECT SHORTLY. SINCERELY, BILL BROWN." KISSINGER

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